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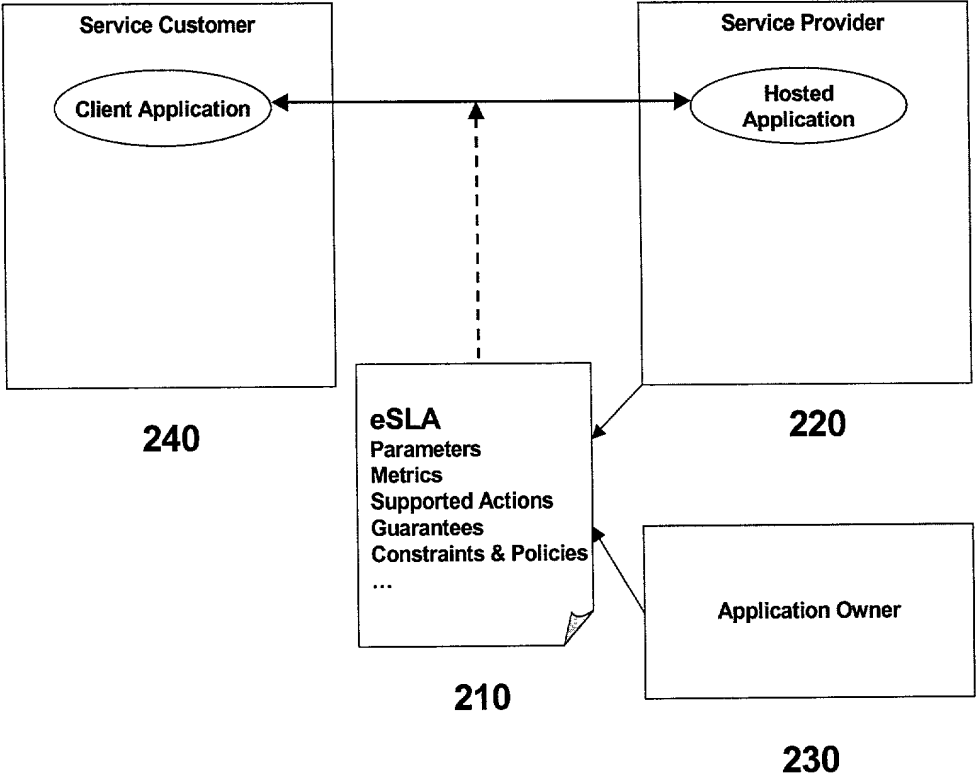


FIG. 2 (PRIOR ART)

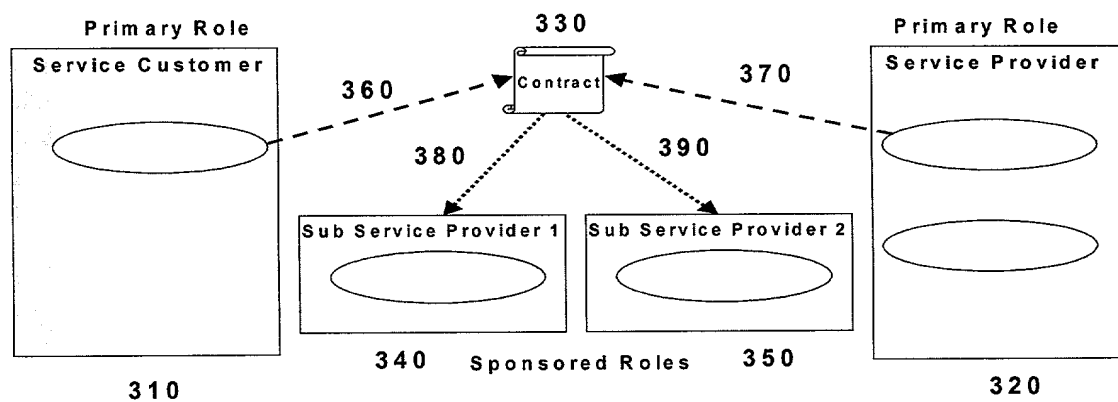


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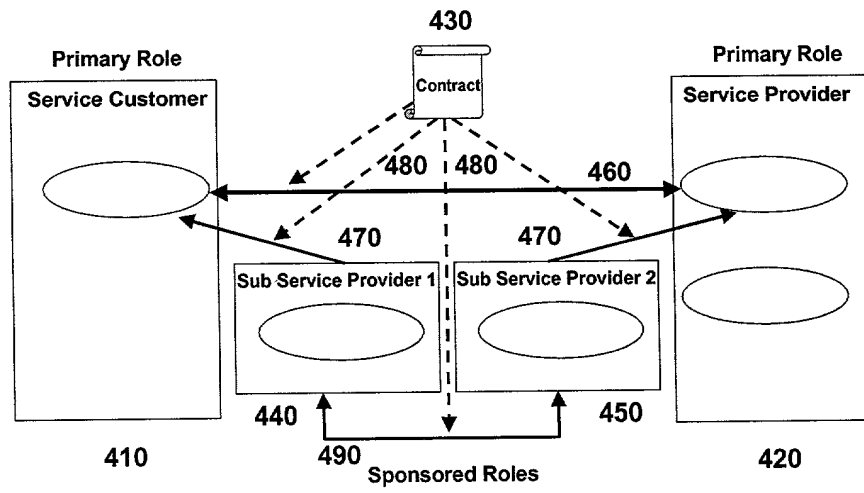


FIG. 4

5 1 0	
5 2 0	Parties
5 3 0	Primary Parties
5 4 0	Sponsored Parties
5 5 0	Service Descriptions and associated SLA Parameters for each Party
5 6 0	Guarantees

FIG. 5

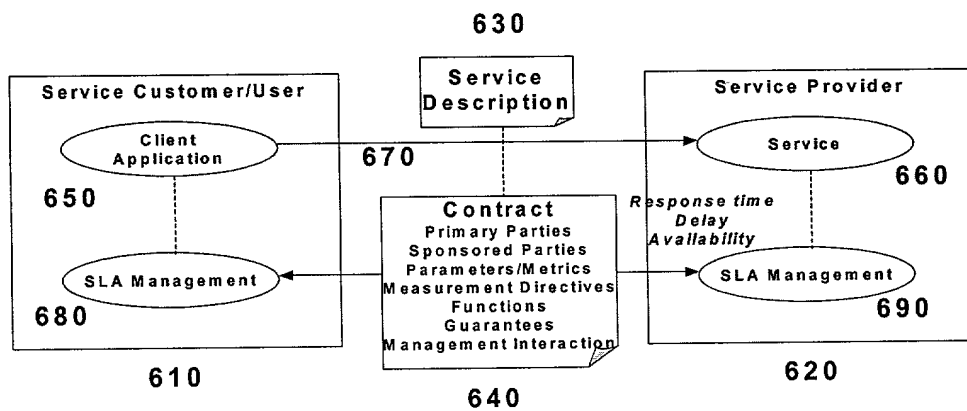


FIG. 6

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705	Parties:
710	Primary Parties
715	Sponsored Parties
720	Service Description:
725	Service Operations
730	Bindings
735	SLA Parameters
740	Metrics
745	Measurement Directives
750	Functions
755	Evaluation Period
760	Guarantee:
765	Validity Period
770	Predicate
775	Actions

FIG. 7

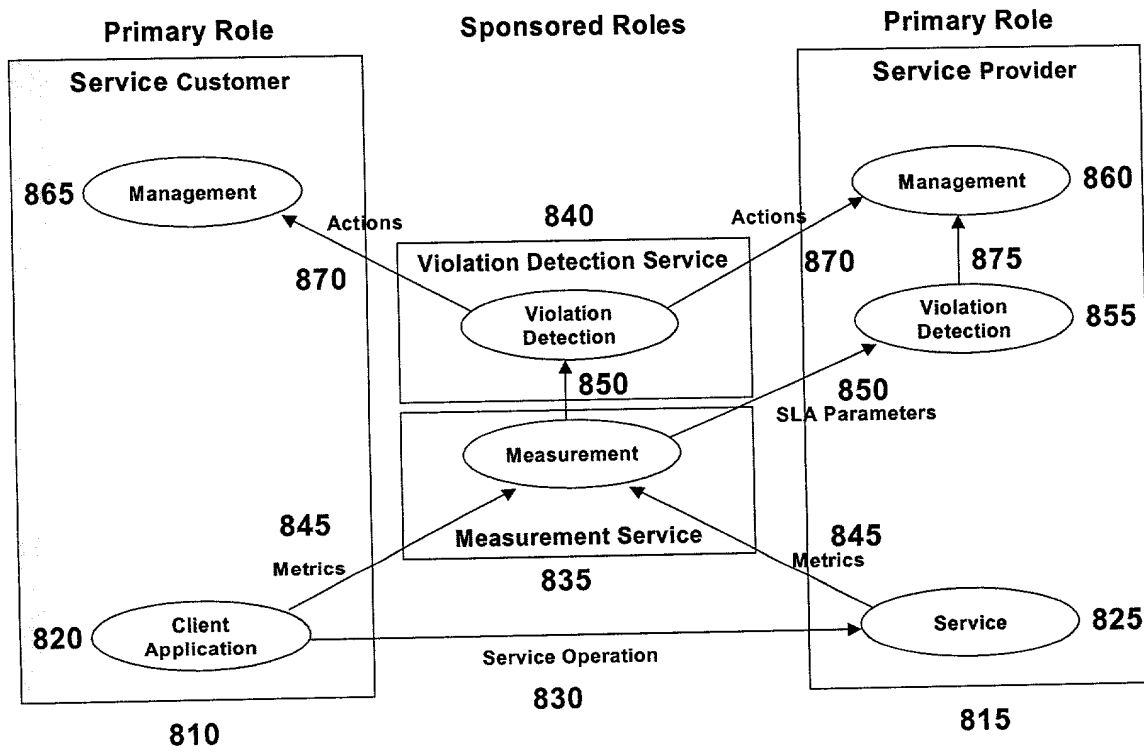


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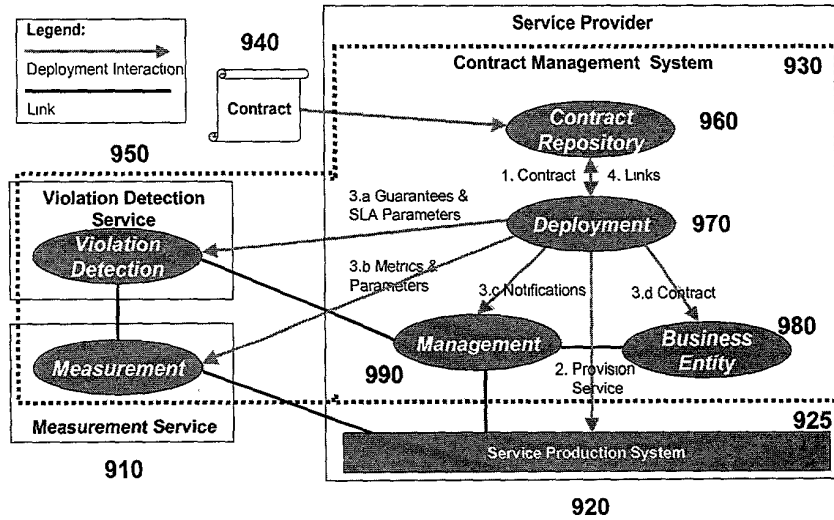


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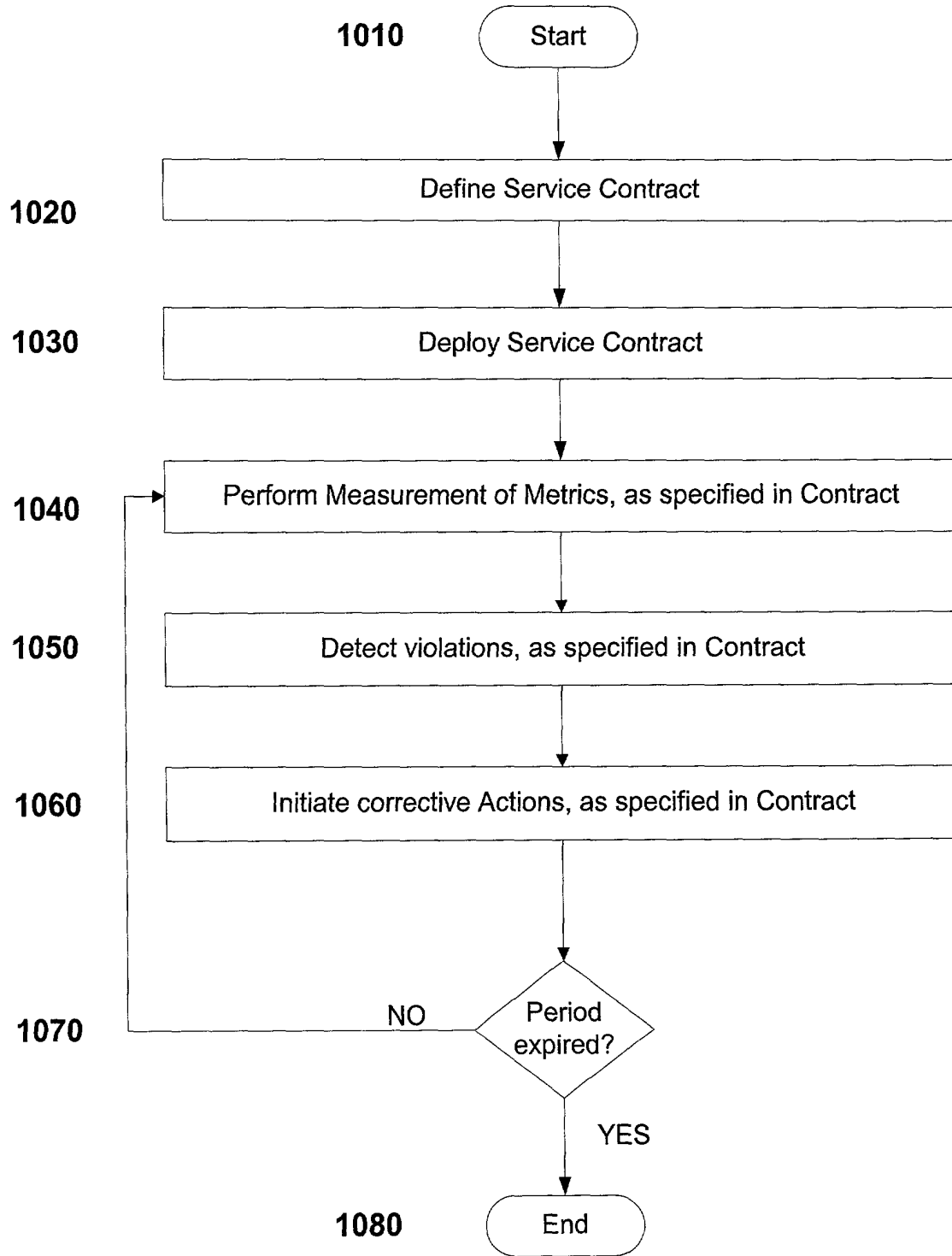


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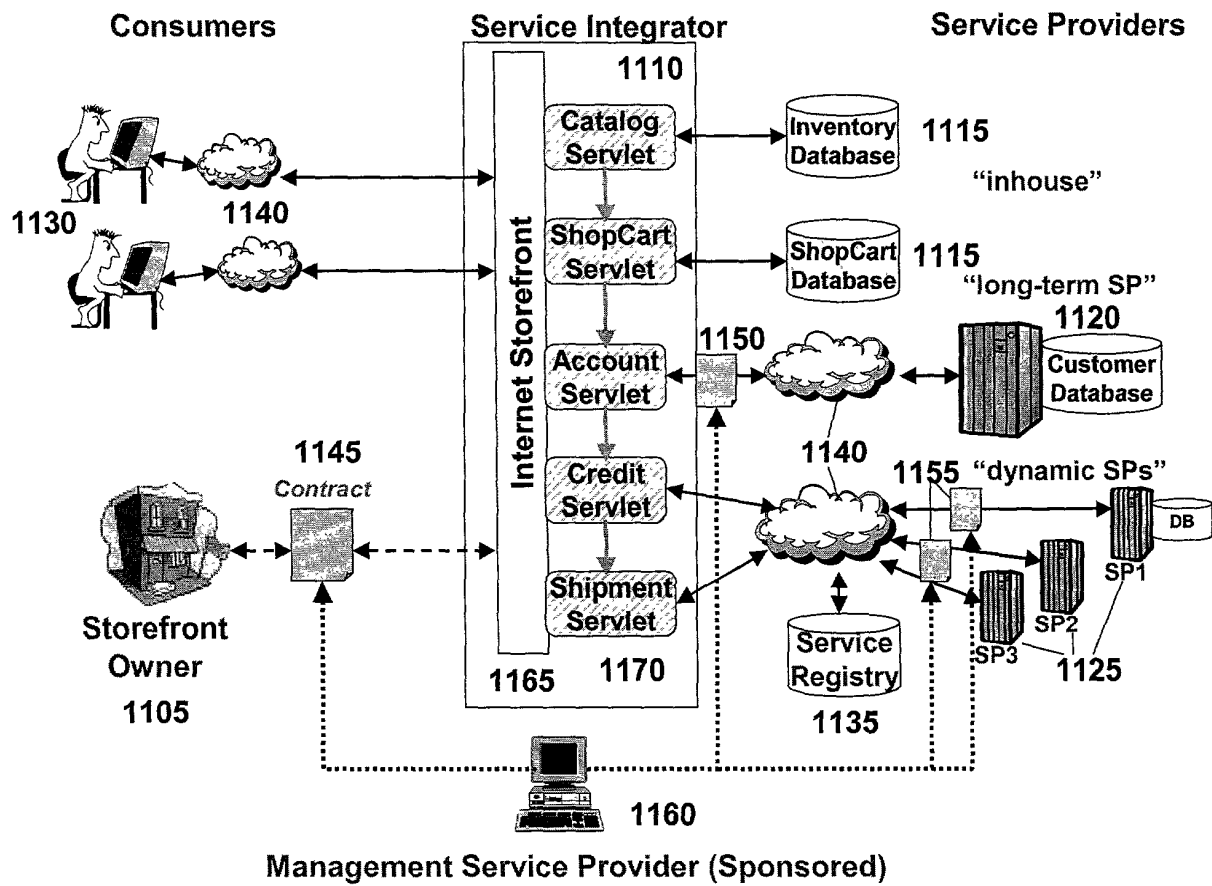


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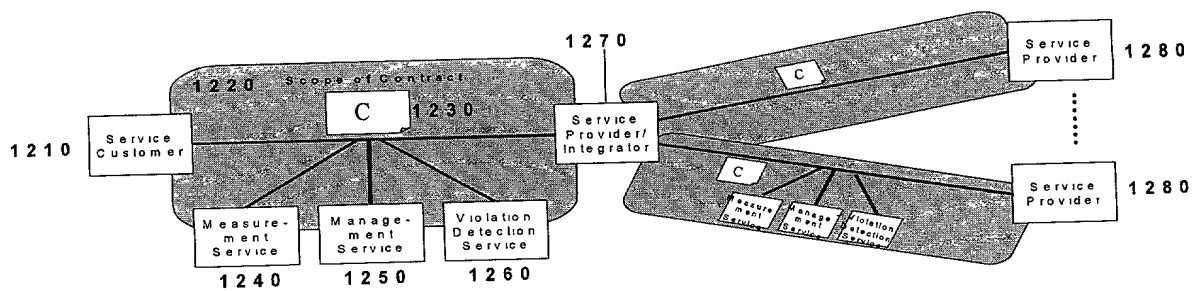


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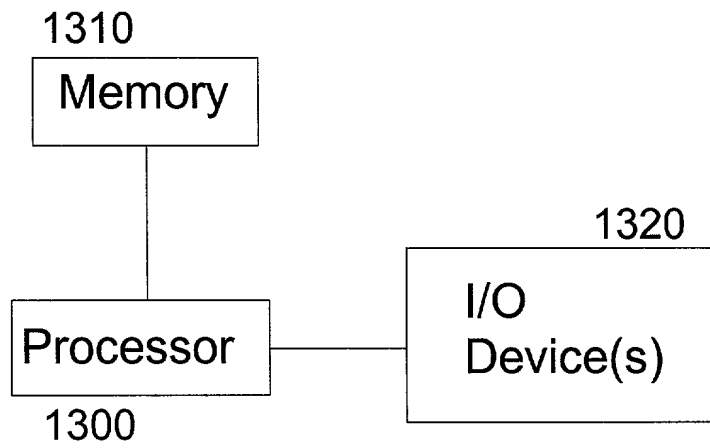


FIG. 13